

Economic Impact of Civil Aviation by State (2009)

South Carolina

Largest Commercial Airport: 1 Charleston International

Population (Estimate):² 4,561,242

Gross Domestic Product (\$ Millions):3 158,786 Contribution to Gross Domestic Product: 2.0% State Share of International Visitors: 4 0.2%

Number of Departures ⁵
100K
80K
60K
40K
20K
1990 2010

	AVIATION STATISTICS ^{1,5,8}			
ACTIVITY			Commercial	
	Number of Airports	Aircraft Operations	Freight (Tons)	Passengers
Commercial Aviation	6	71,576	154,421	6,283,640
General Aviation	45	1,145,355	-	-
Reliever Airports	2	-	-	-
Total Activity	53	1,216,931	154,421	6,283,640

Number of Passengers ⁵
8M
7M
6M
5M A
4M
3M
2M
1M
1990 2010

AVIATION ACTIVITY	TOTAL ECONOMIC IMPACT ⁶		
AVIATION ACTIVITY	Economic Activity	Earnings (Payroll)	Jobs
Direct			
▶ Airlines	\$896,093,894	\$273,739,972	8,085
Airport Operations	\$195,892,083	\$69,990,763	1,999
General Aviation	\$409,207,784	\$125,005,346	3,692
 Aircraft, Aircraft Engine, and Parts Manufacturing 	\$353,538,023	\$88,335,488	1,915
Air Courier	\$475,304,863	\$143,236,157	5,169
Indirect			
Visitor Expenditures - Airlines	\$2,928,102,900	\$862,265,368	32,567
Visitor Expenditures - General Aviation	\$129,987,903	\$38,278,732	1,446
Travel Arrangements	\$27,432,173	\$8,555,431	305
Total Aviation Activity	\$5,415,559,624	\$1,609,407,257	55,178

	TOTAL	ECONOMIC IMPACT ⁶	
FAA SPENDING (FY 2009)	Economic Activity	Earnings (Payroll)	Jobs
Total FAA Spending	\$147,286,910	\$45,815,903	1,404

ENABLING EFFECTS	TRADE FLOWS ⁷		
	Value	Weight (Tons)	
Within State	0	0	
State-to-State	\$788,901,600	19,211	
Exports	\$3,803,986,600	39,222	
Total Enabling Effects	\$4,592,888,200	58,433	